

ABOUT THE STATE

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

A choral society is to be organized in Middlebury college.

Robert Tracy, whose legs were crushed in the marble mill at Proctor Friday, died at the hospital that evening. He was about 35 years old.

Joseph Haskins, who died at his home in Bristol Feb. 13 at the age of 77 years, had been an employee of the Bristol Manufacturing company for over 25 years.

John A. Alexander of South Royalton has accepted the position of superintendent of poultry at the hospital school in Canton, Mass.

Miss Anna LeBouef, a nurse at the home of H. A. Farrar in Vergennes, mistook the cellar door for another one night last week and consequently fell to the foot of the stairs, striking her ankle against a projecting stone and breaking three bones. It was down these stairs that Mrs. Henrietta Lewis fell and was instantly killed about four years ago.

Mrs. Lucy A. Burnham Knowles, the first woman superintendent of schools in New Hampshire, died Friday in Manchester of that state at the age of 77 years. She was a native of Thetford and obtained her early schooling there. She taught for many years until she was married in 1879, and her pupils had formed and maintained a Lucy A. Burnham school organization, with an annual reunion.

The schools in New Haven, which had been closed for a week on account of scarlet fever, were to have opened again Tuesday, will remain closed still longer, the principal, Mr. Isham, being ill with scarlet fever at his home in Underhill and Miss Edith Barnes, the principal, being kept at her home in Barre by the serious illness of her father.

A fire in South Woodstock recently destroyed the brick house on the so-called Main street, which was recently purchased by Charles Havill, who, with his wife and three children, moved there from Brockton, Mass., Sept. 5. Practically everything above the lower floor was lost. The fire started from a fireplace and the insurance covered only a small part of the loss.

VERMONTERS HAD APPETITES.

En Route to Charlotte, Soldiers Showed Something to New Haven.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 20.—More than 100 strapping sons of Vermont on their way to a cantonment at Charlotte, N. C., tramped up Meadows at Charlotte, Church streets yesterday morning, where they caught sight of the familiar sign of a well known restaurant. Simultaneously, as one man rushed across the street, and pushing their way to the interior, proceeded to eat up everything in the place. The appetites of those fellows, safe to say, have hardly been equalled around this part of the country.

Orders after orders of choice foods were disposed of with no difficulty or ceremony, and it was not long before the manager was forced to send a hurry call to a well known wholesale grocer as well as to his meat dealer for more supplies. One husky gent in the crowd cleaned up about six orders of ham and eggs, and then proceeded to devour four pies and eight glasses of milk for dessert, before announcing that his appetite was appeased. "Well you can't blame us for our appetites," said one of the recruits, "for up in our country, the air is such that one has to eat every hour in order not to starve." It was learned that the boys had been drafted but were given the chance to volunteer, which they did.

ENLISTED AT AGE OF 16

Hubert E. Austin Was Allowed to Go Home to Attend School.

St. Albans, Feb. 20.—Inquiry regarding the service flag in front of The Tavern elicited the information that the star in the flag is placed there for Hubert E. Austin, son of C. C. Austin, a traveling salesman for the Burlington Grocery company, who at present is living at The Tavern, but who expects to move his family here from White River Junction in the spring. Young Austin, who has been spending a few days here with his father, is now with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Austin, in West Berkshire. He is on a furlough from the United States navy, to attend school, and is subject to call at a moment's notice. He was 16 years old September 28 last and is the youngest first-class gunner's mate in the navy.

Young Austin enlisted in the naval coast defense reserve April 13, 1917, and was called into service May 21. He was drawn as orderly to the commander of the yard at Boston and soon after was transferred to the U. S. S. Natalia, the tireless experimental boat of John Hays Hammond, Jr. Austin served with Hammond until last fall, when he was transferred to the second naval district with headquarters at Newport, R. I., and assigned to submarine chaser No. 6. He has been all along the coast from Portland, Me., to Key West, Fla. He has now been transferred back to the first naval district and given a furlough in order that he may attend school. He came here from White River Junction, where his mother, two brothers and two sisters reside, and after spending a few days with his grandparents, he will return to White River Junction.

TO SAVE COAL.

Franklin County Court Will Adjourn from March to April 3.

St. Albans, Feb. 20.—Franklin county court, which was convened March 12 for the March term, will take immediate adjournment on that date to Wednesday morning, April 3, at 10 o'clock for court work and the jury will be called when needed. This postponement is taken by Judge F. M. Butler of Rutland and Assistant Judges E. W. Foster and C. A. Cardyne in compliance with the request of the local fuel committee.

Little Sentiment.

"There's little sentiment these days, no treasuring of old things. A girl used to get married in her mother's wedding gown."

"That's right. I know a girl who has been married four times, and she had to have a different outfit for each occasion."—Kansas City Journal.

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RANDOLPH CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brothers of Randolph Center have received the following letter from their son, Corp. Enos A. Brothers, 5 Co., 101 Amm. train, A. E. F.:

Somewhere in France, Jan. 6, 1918.

Dear folks at home: Just a few lines in answer to your longed for letter, that reached me yesterday. Glad to hear that you are all well. I am feeling fine. Do you know that it is over three months ago that I left Westfield, and times goes by so quickly over here that Saturday rolls around before I notice it. It will be a year soon now since I have been in the army this last time—the quickest year I ever lived in my life, and I have seen more and had the best time I have ever had.

This has been a good interesting war so far. I can't see where it can last a great while longer. I think Fritz is getting about all he wants of it. No Henry doesn't like the army life. Well, I am sorry for the boy. If he can't soldier in Ayer, where they have all the comforts of home, what will he do if he gets over here where we are. In Ayer they have shower baths and everything a soldier could ask for. I saw in the paper a while ago where a fellow from there was telling that all he had to sleep on was a tick filled with hay. I have often wondered what that would think if they got a bed on the soft side of a plank or cement floor for a while. Those things don't bother us a bit now, for that's all in a soldier's life. That's what makes us so tough. I have been trying to get weighed, but haven't been able to yet, but I think I am about as heavy as I ever was in my life.

I had a letter from Percy a few days ago. He is all right and said he was going to write home that night, so you no doubt have heard from him by this time. Glad you have sent the Randolph paper. Wish you would send it every week. I see one once in a while. Corporal Hamilton gets them once in a while. He used to be in Randolph. He married one of Howie Flint's girls.

How is Mrs. Persons? I get a letter every little while from both Grace and Mildred. Yes, I got G. H.'s letter and wrote back to him. It's a good thing, I guess, that I don't have to pay postage on mail here, or somebody would be out of luck, for I write about all my spare time.

Earl isn't with me, so I don't ever see him. I don't even know what regiment he is in. Ask Percy when you write. Maybe he can tell you. I had a letter from Aunt Maude. They are all well. They have sent me a Christmas box, but it hasn't come yet. Hope it will soon. It did rain most of the time when I was here when I first came to France, but it doesn't rain much now; in fact, we have good weather here. The nights are cold, but we have nice days. Enos.

Here is a new one on the kaiser. Have you seen it?

Toast to the Kaiser.
Here's to the kaiser,
The limburger cheese;
May the sweat of his head
Go down to his knees;
May he break his neck
On the Hindenburg line
And go on croaking
"The Watch on the Rhine."

Baptist Laymen's Campaign.

To raise \$7,000 in six weeks is the task which confronts the men of the Baptist churches of Vermont. The amount represents Vermont's share in the big drive of the northern Baptist laymen to raise one million dollars before March 31, 1918. The home and foreign activities of the Baptist denomination, as well as special war work which they are undertaking during the war, need an additional million dollars above previous amounts in order to be financed properly. Hence the drive to raise the fund. The central committee of the state consists of Henry Bond, Brattleboro; Judge F. M. Butler, Rutland; Hon. W. W. Stickney, Ludlow; Prof. Raymond McFarland, Middlebury; and F. R. Dickerman, Bristol. The national headquarters of the campaign have appointed Professor McFarland to be campaign director of Vermont, with headquarters in Middlebury. The work of organizing the laymen of every Baptist church in Vermont is now under way. Already the Rutland men have selected a local campaign committee and expect to raise their share, which is \$550. In Burlington, the men behind the drive have every confidence that they will raise the \$800 set for Dr. Braker's church. This is the biggest thing of its kind that the Baptists in Vermont have ever undertaken but there is confident feeling everywhere that the Baptists will "go over the top" before the campaign closes.

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First Sign of Spring



AMUSEMENT NOTES

"There She Goes" Coming to Barre Opera House Feb. 25.

"There She Goes," the merry musical play which has been creating theatrical history in the states, in spite of conditions comes to the opera house next Monday, Feb. 25, with every prospect of breaking a few records. Many successful musical plays have been sent on tour by Mr. Harvey D. Orr, but the coming attraction promises to lead them all. The organization is headed by Harvey and Harold Orr, two of America's best singing comedians and in support are Martha Craver, soprano prima donna, Al Knight, Marion Weaver, Kenneth Christy, Silence Tower and a bewitching array of twenty-five gorgeously gowned girls in the chorus that can sing and dance. There are two smashing acts and four dazzling scenes, taking the audience from a Long Island Golf club to beautiful dreamy Hawaii. The Orr brothers' experience with a lame automobile is exceedingly funny; the whirlwind dancing of the Le Roys and the Imperial Male quartet are features. Of the twenty-two song numbers, the most popular are: "There She Goes," "An Absent Man," "When You're Twenty-One," "Hawaiian Moon," "Some Girl in the Summertime," "To the Music of the Old Jazz Band," and "Sometime, If Dreams Come True."—adv.

EAST BRAINTREE

Mrs. John Ford of Randolph is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Abel. Mrs. L. M. Rogers and Miss Ethel Smith are ill.

Miss Jennie Jerd of Ilion, N. Y., spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. Elmer Keyes.

There will be a box social and dance in grange hall Thursday evening in honor of four more of our boys soon to join the colors.

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Meetings of the Board of Civil Authority to Revise the Checklist

There will be meetings of the board of civil authority held in the city court room, on the evenings of Tuesday, February 19, 1918, Wednesday, February 20, Thursday, February 21, and Wednesday, February 27, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of adding names to and revising the checklist prepared by the election committee for use at the city election to be held March 5, 1918.

The meeting on Wednesday, February 20, will be for women voters only.

JAMES MACKAY, City Clerk.
City clerk's office, Barre, Vt., February 19, 1918.

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NOTICE FOR LAYING OUT OF WILLEY STREET

Whereas, a petition has been presented to the street commissioners of the city of Barre, Vermont, asking that a highway be laid out extending from the westerly end of Willey street, in the city of Barre, to the property of S. D. Sibley, where he now lives within the said city, starting from the westerly end of Willey street, aforesaid, and running in a westerly and northwesterly direction upon or along the right of way as now used by the said S. D. Sibley to the property now occupied by him, and whereas the city council of said city has by vote decided that said street as described should be laid out, in the judgment of said street commissioners after a public hearing it should appear that the public good and convenience and necessity of the individuals and inhabitants demand that said street should be laid out, under the provisions of the statute.

Therefore the undersigned street commissioners have appointed the 2d day of March, A. D. 1918, at two o'clock in the afternoon as the time and the city council chamber in said city hall as the place where said commissioners will hear all those interested in the said laying out of said Willey street, and from said council chamber, we will proceed and view said premises, hear the claims of all interested.

Signed at city of Barre, Vt., February 14, 1918.

A. A. MILNE,
A. M. ROSSI,
HENRY ALEXANDER,
Street Commissioners of the City of Barre, Vt.

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